GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

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REMOVAL OF ENCROACHMENT IN KARNATAKA
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether several unauthorised structures that had come up on the Indian Railways property in Banaswadi in Bangalore city, Karnataka were demolished by the Railways;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether all the encroachments of the Railway land in Karnataka has been removed; and

(d) if so, the steps taken by Railways to utilise these encroached lands?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS AND MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI O. RAJAGOPAL)

(a) & (b) Yes, Sir. 59 encroachments in front of Banaswadi Railway station on Yeshwantpur-Salem section of Southern Railway, were removed.

(c) No, Sir.

(d) The Railway land which are encroached are likely to be utilised for railways` future development projects. Such gradual development of railways is a continuous process.